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Refer to Macon County - '59010' - Decatur/McKinney #2

April 28 1980

Mr. Paul McKinney

Rural Route #8

Post Office Box 48

Decatur Illinois 62522

Dear Mr. McKinney

Your solid waste disposal facility located south of Decatur was inspected on April 8 1980 by Gerald E. Steele, representing this Agency.

The inspection disclosed the following condition(s) which constitute violations of the Environmental Protection Act and Chapter 7 of the Illinois Pollution Control Board Solid Waste Rules and Regulations:

Your site was not being operated in accordance with your permit. Specifically, the permit term is not being advanced as the fill progresses both vertically and horizontally. Continued operation which is not in accordance with the permit will result in a request of the Illinois Pollution Control Board to revoke your permit in addition to other possible orders and penalties.

Daily cover is not being provided adequately to refuse in the northwest part of the site. All solid waste received daily must be covered with a minimum of six (6) inches of compacted suitable natural earthen material by the end of that day's operation.

The completed portions of your site have not received an adequate depth of final cover. The areas found to be deficient are the southern hill of the eastern part of the site.

Large amounts of wind-blown litter were observed in and around the site. All litter shall be collected from the sanitary landfill site by the end of each working day and either placed in the fill and compacted and covered that day or stored in a covered container. It is suggested that arrangements be made to provide portable fencing or the upward side of your unloading site to trap wind-blown litter. Routine policing should also be provided for the site and surrounding area. Under severe conditions, it may be necessary to cover the solid waste at frequent intervals during the day.

We suggest that you correct the aforementioned violations. A reinspection will be made in the near future to determine your progress.

Monte M. Nienkerk Central Region Manager
Land Field Operations Section
Division of Land/Noise Pollution Control

Enclosure Inspection Report

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